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In re Application of

Volker SCHÜREN

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A Three-Phase Motor Having a Shielding Device

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

Examiner: K. Tamai Group Art: 2834

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## AMENDMENT

SIR:

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of October 24, 2001. A check in the amount of \$920 in payment of the government fee for a three-month extension of time is enclosed herewith.

In response to the Office Action of October 24, 2001, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

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